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CATHOLIC—Father Quill will celebrate Mass in St. Francis Church at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Sunday school will be held at 9:45 a. m.

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Midwife and Electrician

Takes ladies in confinement.
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Fine tonic. One Dollar a pint bottle.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Registration

NOTICE TO VOTERS.

All voters of Sonoma County who have not been registered since January 1st, 1900, must, in order to vote at any election, be registered by the county clerk on or before August 8, 1900. All naturalized citizens applying to be registered must present their naturalization papers, or make affidavit as to the loss thereof.

Registration for the next General Election on November 6th, will close on Wednesday, September 28, 1900.

Transfers from one precinct to another in this county will close on Thursday, October 11, 1900.

All persons, foreign born, intending to become citizens, should be naturalized on or before August 8, 1900, to be entitled to vote at the November election. For the convenience of electors of the county I have appointed a Deputy for registration in the various election precincts.

SOMERS B. FULTON,
June 21, 1900. County Clerk.

A. PINELLI,

DEALER IN
GROCERIES AND WOOD,

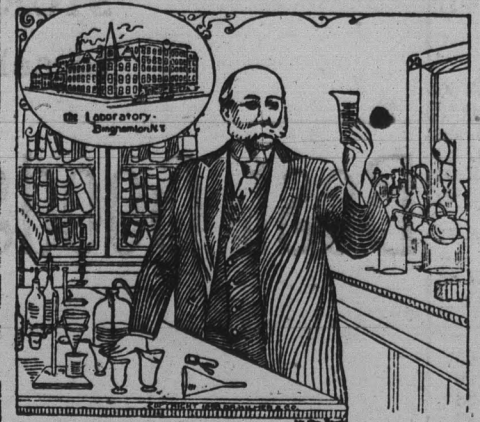
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The Discoverer of Swamp-Root at Work in His Laboratory.

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Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the new discovery is the true specific for kidney, bladder and urinary troubles. It has cured thousands of apparently hopeless cases, after all other efforts have failed. At druggists in fifty-cent and dollar sizes. A sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling about Swamp-Root and its wonderful cures. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. and mention this paper.

Board of Equalization.

The Trustees of the City of Sonoma will meet on the second Monday in August, 1900, to-wit, on

August 13th, 1900,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the City Pavilion, in said city, and sit as a Board of Equalization and equalize the Assessment Roll, as provided in Section 872 of the Municipal Government Act, and in Ordinance No. 41 of said city.

The Board will continue in session from day to day until all the returns of the City Assessor shall have been ratified.

All persons desiring a reduction in the valuation of their property must make and file with said Board a written notification therefor, verified by oath, showing the facts upon which such reduction is sought.

JOB B. SMALL,

City Clerk.

Sonoma, July 28th, 1900

Nasal Catarrh quickly yields to treatment by Ely's Cream Balm, which is agreeably aromatic. It is received through the nostrils, cleanses and heals the whole surface over which it diffuses itself. Druggists sell the 50c. size; Trial size by mail, 10 cents. Test it and "on are sure to continue the treatment."

Announcement.
To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation.

California Northwestern Railway Co.

LESSOR OF
SAN FRANCISCO AND NORTH PACIFIC RY CO.

Official Time Schedule.

Leave Sonoma.	Effective April 15, 1900.	Arrive Sonoma.	Week Days.	Sundays.
6:18 AM	6:40 AM	10:25 AM	10:55 AM	
6:37 PM	6:57 PM	7:15 PM	7:20 PM	
10:05 AM	10:25 AM	6:40 AM	6:18 AM	
7:20 PM	7:15 PM	3:37 PM	3:37 PM	
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Easy and pleasant to use. Contains no injurious drugs. It is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at once. It Opens and Cleanses the Nasal Passages. Always Inflammation. Heals and Protects the Membrane. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Large Size, 50 cents at druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 66 Warren Street, New York.

MEMORIES.

One sparkling day we passed
Across the snow,
Gay in the fair white world,
We felt the sun winds whirled,
And saw the frost flakes whirled,
But silent love at last
In two hushed hearts laughed low.
Alone, sad, old, I go
Across life's weary wastes of snow.

In June we wandered through
A leafy glade
Glad with the summer's song;
The merry breezes strayed
Light hearted all day long;
From hawthorn boughs they blew
The blossoms—not to fade,
But garland me; arrayed
Therewith I pass death's somber shade.
—Madama.

A YANKEE COAT.

By Francis M. Hardy.

Even a woman could have seen that Ned Moore was drawing small pleasure from his pipe.

"I reckon the doctor spoke the truth and I've got to do it, but it's the devil's own luck."

"Of course, I can't help the fever nor the fever leaving me weak as water, and I know I ain't fit and want rest."

"A fortnight's holiday? Well, I can manage the time, but how about money? Spring Lake will eat up a \$50 bill in less than ten days."

Here pipe was abandoned for a moment while pockets were emptied.

"Five, \$10, \$20 and another \$20—that's \$40; this silver will make about \$2—\$42; more than I thought, but not enough. Still, I can make it do, perhaps; hang it all, I must."

Ned Moore's face cleared a moment, but only for a moment.

"What about clothes? I must have one new rig—must, but how?"

"I hate to do it, but, hang me, if I see any other way. And the price was only \$6; dirt cheap. Anybody who'll know the rig is secondhand? And if any one does guess what the devil do I care?"

After this "declaration of independence" Ned Moore put on his hat, put out his pipe and hurried around the corner to a secondhand clothing shop.

He was a bundle of contrasts and contradictions; this handsome bachelor of 28. He could bully his pipes, dogs, fire; could scintillate wit and talk himself into smiles or tears—when alone. But, lacking the shelter of home and stimulus of solitude, he was a different creature. Bashful—blushing like a young girl when spoken to—and hopelessly bankrupt in strong talk of men or small talk of women, he was generally regarded as cold, proud, awkward, morose. He was nothing of the kind—merely self-conscious, that was all. But in his case a small fault was enough to work much mischief. Indeed this habit of self centering thought had made the poor fellow an easy victim to fever and later delayed convalescence. And for this reason his doctor insisted that when he did visit the seashore he should stay at a fashionable hotel.

When Ned Moore arrived at the secondhand shop, he made the painful discovery that the blue serge suit he wished to buy was built for a man twice his size. It was his first experience, however, with a secondhand clothing merchant, and constitutional bashfulness made him an easy victim. Ten minutes later he left that shop the owner of a tweed lounge suit, handsome, it is true, but a combination of yellow and black aggressively "horsy" in color and pattern. He did not like the thing; in fact, positively loathed the bizarre combination of color and cut. Unfortunately the salesman said it was the thing for him to buy, and of course he bought it. Moreover, he was told to buy, and did, a pair of tan colored shoes and a straw hat encircled by a black and yellow ribbon.

When Ned Moore caught his first view of the crowded veranda of the Monmouth House, he wished he hadn't come, and after working his way through a bevy of pretty girls surrounding the main door he decided to skip dinner in the big dining room and sup modestly in the small cafe.

Twilight deepened while he dined, and there came to the ex-invald with the gathering shadows a strange longing for companionship. Indeed the loneliness of the room soon grew painfully oppressive. Through the open window came the heavy salt air, bearing to his ears the mingled talk and laughter of the many people on the sands. He could see the after dinner crowd drifting lazily along the broad, sandy beach and, farther away, many isolated "couples," busy, any one could see, retelling that old story which renews its youth with each generation. Had the old mood still held Ned Moore in bondage he would have gone for a walk under the pines across the lake and moped and smoked. But tonight new feelings possessed him. He was dominated by a newborn desire to draw nearer the heart of life—to come in closer touch with that crowd of pretty women down by the sea. And so he paid his bill, put on his hat and was soon one of the multitude.

True, once or twice he did feel a trifle nervous as this new drawing toward the fair sex increased in strength, and something whispered he was taking big risks. It was this feeling, perhaps, which led him to quicken his steps, and he was soon clear of the crowd. But at the very moment when he fancied his feelings were well in hand he came suddenly into the presence of the prettiest woman he had ever seen.

She was all alone and, half reclining on the sand, was gazing steadfastly across the sea to where the harvest moon slowly lifted out of the great waters.

Before he knew what he was doing Ned Moore had stepped behind the girl,

dropped on the sand, slipped his arm around her waist and was giving her an old fashioned hug.

That the young woman took kindly to this embrace was quickly proved, for her head dropped against Ned Moore's shoulder, and a little hand stroked his yellow and black coat sleeve. Moreover, the young woman murmured loud enough to be heard above the rush of the surf:

"Yes, darling!"

Ned Moore could plainly hear his heart beating, but he couldn't, to save his life, get a grip on words. So he hugged the girl again. She seemed to read the right meaning in his silence, however, for she whispered:

"Such a heavenly night, isn't it, sweetheart?"

"I must say something," thought Ned Moore, and he was on the point of speaking when another man spoke for him:

"Well, I'm darned!"

And when Ned Moore looked up he saw facing him a man about his own size and build—a man whose face was livid with passion. The intruder didn't give Ned long to think, however, for he burst out:

"What is this, Nell? What in thunder is got no further, for, with a shriek, the young woman sprang away from Ned Moore. When she faced him, she looked an enraged tigress. She was too angry for words.

"Answer me, Nell—answer!"

"Oh, it's all a mistake—a dreadful mistake!" cried the young woman.

"Mistake? Nonsense!"

"No, truth, Jack," and the pretty, tear stained face was lifted toward the angry man. "I was sitting here," she ran on, her voice tremulous, "waiting for you, and I had just dreamed my way back to last summer and was, oh, so happy, living over those dear, sweet days, when somebody, so like you, passed between me and the sea, sitting in, oh, so true, with my sweet dream! Then an arm stole around me—the same old yellow and black coat sleeve, and—"

"Why, bless my soul!" cut in the angry lover, crying Ned Moore hotly, "you've got on my old counting rig! I see it all now. Nell, dear, don't say another word. It's all my fault. I'd no business to sell that dear old counting coat. It was rank sacrilege!"

For an awful moment Ned Moore had been trying to settle in his own mind whether he was dreaming. To find he was not lifted a great weight from his mind, and he joined his new acquaintances in a hearty laugh. Then he said:

"And you forgive me, then, both of you?"

"Why, of course we do," cried Jack and Nell, and then Jack continued: "It's my skittish black and tan counting coat that played the deuce with both of you. How did you get hold of it?"

"Bought it secondhand, but I'll make you a present of the whole outfit as soon as I get back to my own modest clothes. Honest, I haven't known myself since I put the wild rig on."

Jack said he didn't want the coat, but his sweetheart timidly remarked:

"Yes; take it from him, Jack. You must. I'll never feel quite sure of myself while that coat belongs to another man."

Ned Moore found something more than health at the seashore—found his heart. And he returned to New York a new man. Something, time soon testified, had opened bachelor eyes to the loveliness of woman, the loneliness of bachelor life, for in six months he married—married and settled down to hard work and home life. But for reasons the nature of which he did not explain to his little wife he never parted with his own counting coat, even when its days of active service had departed.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Pious Ideas.

The Duchess of B. had an old Presbyterian nurse who was once persuaded to attend the beautiful church they had built. The duchess afterward asked her if it was not very beautiful, and she said, "Oh, yes, very!" "And the singing," said the duchess, "was not that lovely?" "Yes, your grace," she said. "It was lovely, but it's an awful way of spending the Sabbath."

A Scotch lady and her gardener used to worship together, not agreeing with any form of church doctrine. A friend remonstrated with her and asked, "Do you really think you and your gardener are the only two real members of the true church on earth?" to which she replied, "Weel, I'm nae sae sure o' John."

A Scotch minister from a large town once visited and preached in a rural parish and was asked to pray for him. He did so, and the rain came in floods and destroyed some of the crops, whereupon one elder remarked to another, "This comes o' intrusting sic a request to a meenister who isn't acquainted wi' agriculture."—Bishop How's Notebook.

Eugenie Named It Magenta.

Mme. MacMahon had a fortune of her own, and when her husband became president of the French republic they entertained most splendidly. She gave not only the official dinners and balls, but one or two private entertainments each week. She became as devoted a devotee as her husband.

When MacMahon saved the French army at Buffalona, he won the marshal's baton and the title of Duc de Magenta. The duchess was obliged to seek the Empress Eugenie and "express her sentiments." She wore for the audience a dress of reddish violet velvet, the color of a rich amethyst. The empress admired the color, which was new, and suggested it should be called magenta in compliment to the new duchess. At the imperial dinner, given to the officers of the Italian campaign she wore a velvet train of the new color.

Cheap Cats.

General Sir Herbert Chermide was formerly a consul in Asia Minor. Once, in a weak moment, he sent a couple of beautiful Angora cats as a present to a lady in Constantinople. The lady was so pleased that she asked him to send some more. Sir Herbert gave his native servant some money and told him to go and buy two or three. Then came a demand for more cats from the consul's friends, and he gave his servant more money with which to buy cats.

This went on for two or three months, and the native servant waxed exceedingly fat. One morning, however, the general, on coming out of the consulate, was surrounded by a host of infuriated veiled women, who besought Mohammed to curse him because he had stolen all their cats. It appears that the native servant had pocketed the money for himself and gone round with a sack and confiscated every cat in the place.

The Old Shipplasters.

Probably the greatest profit ever enjoyed by the government as a result of the destruction of money was in connection with the fractional currency or shipplasters issued during the civil war.

The total amount issued was \$363,724,070, of which \$6,889,553 has been presented for redemption.

A large amount has been preserved as curios by collectors, and occasionally even now it is offered for redemption.—Indianapolis News.

Prompt Answer.

"My friend," said the long haired passenger to the young man in the seat opposite, "to what end has your life work been directed?"

"To both ends," was the reply. "I have the only first class hat and shoe store in our village."—Chicago News.

Sustaining His Theory.

No man is a real man of science unless he is ready to abandon his own conclusions, duly put on record, if subsequent investigations prove them fallacious. The president of a great college once wrote a volume on the practice of medicine. After it had been completed and he had gone to New York to arrange for its publication his house was burned, and the manuscript of his book and all his notes were destroyed.

He couldn't reproduce it. Ten years afterward he said: "That fire was the greatest of good fortune to me. If I had published the book, I should have had to stand by it, whereas now I know that it was all wrong!"

Mr. Andrew Lang in Longman's Magazine tells of two geologists who were gathering specimens in a lonely mountain place. One of them had written a book. The other, looking about one day with a fieldglass, saw his friend occupied a long time—unobserved, as he thought—in rolling a great stone down hill and at dinner questioned him about it.

He pretended at first that he had been doing it for exercise, but, hard pressed, confessed:

"Well, the fact is the confounded thing was 200 feet too high to suit my theory!"

Answered.

Henry Fielding was once asked by Lord Denbigh why he wrote his name "Fielding" instead of "Felding," as his lordship's family used.

"I cannot tell my lord," replied the novelist, "except it be that my branch of the family were the first that knew how to spell."—San Francisco Argonaut.

About 24 women in 100 are stronger in the left arm than they are in the right. Women, too, are more frequently equally strong in both arms than are men.

Peas and beans are the most nutritious of vegetables, containing as much carbon as wheat and double the amount of muscle forming food.

"A Bit Shaky."

A man looks at his trembling hands and says: "I feel a bit shaky this morning, and shall need a brace." His real need is not nerve stimulant, but nerve strength. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery gives strength to the nervous system. It does not brace up, but builds up. It is entirely free from alcohol and from opium, cocaine, and other narcotics usually found in so-called nerve medicines.

Accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery." It cures.

David Duggins, Esq., of Jones, Ohio Co., Ky., writes: "When I began taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery I think I had nervous or general debility of three years' duration. I took three bottles of the 'Discovery.' During the time I was taking it my sleep became more refreshing and I gained fifteen pounds weight, and also gained strength every day."

Free. Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay cost of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for book bound in paper, or 31 stamps for cloth binding. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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We Serve Delicious Soda

No question about that. Ask anybody who has drunk it and we will go by what the majority of them say, we

MAKE IT RIGHT

KEEP IT RIGHT

SERVE IT RIGHT.

Not so cold, that it is brittle, but just cold enough to suit any palate, cold enough to give you a desire to come again.

If it's too cold to suit you, say so, and we'll put a little heat into it. We want to serve "Made to order" soda—not "Hand me down."

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BEEF, MUTTON, VEAL, PORK,
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VEGETABLES, EGGS, CHEESE
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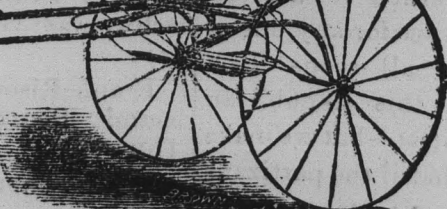
First class Stables in Every Particular.

HORSES BOARDED BY THE DAY, WEEK OR MONTH.

Terms Reasonable.

Stage Office of the Southern Pacific Railroad.

Studebaker Bros.



Buggies, Surreys,

The Index-Tribune

SONOMA, AUGUST 11, 1900.

H. H. GRANICE - EDITOR

SONOMA has a new political boss. He is Station Agent Reed of the California Northwestern Railway. With out the knowledge of County Committeeman Frank Burris he has essayed to form a Republican club in this town and run politics independent of the man chosen by the Republican electors of Sonoma to attend to these matters. On Monday of last week he played a cold sneak on the Republicans of this place and got his club together in Weyl's Hall, about fifteen persons being present, and proceeded to officer it. Of those present probably only a half-dozen or so were on to the scheme and twenty or thirty others who had signed a paper agreeing to become members knew nothing about the meeting at all. Spite work, an ambition to pose as an "influential" Republican and a desire to create discord among the Republicans of Sonoma are at the bottom of the whole business. When the proper time comes to organize a Republican club in Sonoma having for its object the good of the entire party our County Committeeman will attend to the matter, Station Agent Reed's attempt to usurp his functions to the contrary notwithstanding.

Young man save your money. It represents, as a rule, energy and time, a part of your very life. There will come a time, if you are permitted to live, when you will be old and incapable of earning even a living, and all that will stand between you and the poor house will be what you have saved. To be old and dependent is a hard lot. An old man in affluent circumstances is not an object of sympathy. He may be referred to occasionally as a mean old skin-flint, but he doesn't mind it much. He goes right on enjoying life and paying his taxes, while the liberal-hearted fellow who "blowed himself" when a young man and failed to provide against the exigencies of age, reproaches himself bitterly and spends most of his time reflecting on what a fool he was. And his neighbors agree with him on that point.

In another column will be found a communication from one of the staunchest Republicans in Sonoma Township in regard to the three-cornered fight now going on among the aspirants for the nomination of Supervisor of this district at the hands of the Republican Convention. He truthfully remarks that the contest between the three is simply political suicide, and gives timely warning to the friends of Messrs. Putnam, Ohm and Weyl to get together and settle their differences. In so far as the INDEX-TRIBUNE is concerned it has no particular preference for any one of the candidates—"all coons look alike" to us in this Republican Supervisorial contest—but we make bold to remark that if the partisans of the several aspirants continue this foolishness much longer that the nomination won't be worth shucks. The Democrat will simply have a walk-over.

The stingiest man on earth has been discovered at Winnemucca. At any rate a reward is offered for his superior in close-fistedness. He married a home girl to save expense; they walked around the block for a bridal tour; he bought her a nickel's worth of cheap candy as a wedding present, and then suggested that they save the candy for their children, and then as a grand finale took her to an Oliver meeting and refused to let her kneel in devotion on account of wearing out the knees of her—well, you know.

Does advertising pay? On an advertising contract running from May 1, 1899, to April 30, 1900, the firm of A. M. Rothschild & Co. paid the Chicago Daily News \$98,443.95. This is believed to be the largest amount ever paid one newspaper, in one year, by one advertiser. The enterprising firm says: "We are pleased to say that we are satisfied with the results obtained from this advertising."

Subscribe for the INDEX-TRIBUNE.

Come Together and Harmonize

MR. EDITOR: The promoters of the Sonoma Republican Club make known there are three candidates for Supervisor—Messrs. Putnam, Ohm and Weyl. Unless the leaders unite and stand firm for one candidate the ticket will suffer defeat and the nominee on the Democratic ticket will surely be elected. Disunited you can accomplish nothing. It is folly to remain indifferent to the issue pending with three candidates in the field against one. It is simply political suicide. Come together and harmonize before it is too late. Don't you hear that shout of joy on every side whenever two of our Democratic friends meet? "He laughs best who laughs last."

R.

Sonoma, August 5th, 1900.

The Truth Will Prevail Every Time.

A few weeks ago a news item appeared in these columns stating that M. A. Lebrun, for some time past engaged in the poultry business here, had been compelled to pull up stakes and get out of town on account of the defeat of the water proposition. Our authority for the statement was Mr. F. T. Duhring, President of the Board of City Trustees and a leading merchant of this place. Mr. Lebrun, for some reason or another denied under his own signature in an obscure publication the truthfulness of the item. The following card from Mr. Duhring proves that Mr. Lebrun has a very poor memory to say the least:

ED. INDEX-TRIBUNE—Dear Sir:

I am informed that Mr. M. A. Lebrun has denied the statement in your paper that he had left Sonoma because of the town's poor water supply. As I am the person who told you the facts contained in your paper, I desire to say that while it may not be the real cause of his departure, Mr. Lebrun did tell me in the presence of others that he had to give up business here because he could not get sufficient water for his purposes, and he further stated that if I wished to give it to the papers for an item of news I could do so.

Yours Truly,

FRED. T. DUHRING.

FROM EL VERANO.

Mike Mullen visited Capt. Boyes Thursday.

A Bryan and Stevenson Club is being organized in this place.

V. Donahue of Schellville spent Thursday at the Bellevue Hotel.

The Harvey School opened Monday with O. Palestine as teacher.

Joe Small of Sonoma boarded the north-bound train Wednesday.

Harvey Perkins bagged 35 doves along the Sonoma creek Thursday.

Born—In this place last Wednesday to the wife of W. J. Hiser a son.

Joe Ryan drove a buss load of Sonoma people through town Thursday.

John Nordwell shipped a car-load of peaches to the Bay City Thursday.

W. P. Price, the Revenue Collector, was visiting here Wednesday.

Frank Riser boarded the south-bound Southern Pacific train Thursday.

Chris Thomas of the Palace Hotel was a guest at the Bellevue Hotel Sunday.

District Attorney Webber was visiting his many friends in this vicinity Wednesday.

Tom Mullen was elected janitor of our school, the votes stood 15 for Mullen and 2 for Harry Baines.

Billy Minkle has been awarded the contract to build a chicken house and barn for Frank Ferroggiaro.

Chas. Dillon, who is interested in the butcher business in Napa, shipped \$5000 worth of stock to Santa Rosa Tuesday.

Mrs. Chamberlain and family took their departure for San Francisco, one day this week, where they will reside during the winter.

As Billy McGill's friends have it that he visited the county seat to secure a marriage license they would like him to come out and have their best wishes.

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Nursing Mothers

dread hot weather. They know how it weakens and how this affects the baby.

All such mothers need Scott's Emulsion. It gives them strength and makes the baby's food richer and more abundant.

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A powder to be shaken into the shoes. Your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures swollen, sweating feet, improving nails, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pains and gives rest and comfort. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

GLEN ELLEN ITEMS.

Mr. G. McConnell is visiting Mrs. Lane.

The garden party at Wegner's Villa was a social success.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stephens have returned to San Francisco.

Mrs. O'Donnell's sister Miss Gummer is visiting "Castle Cozy."

Mr. Kummer of "Lozely" cottage will remain here during the winter.

Mr. E. E. Ellinghouse has taken "Inglenook cottage" for one month.

Judge Carroll Cook is entertaining a house full of company from the metropolis.

Mrs. Emparan and daughter Miss Anita spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. O'Donnell.

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"My home is in Sidney, Ohio. I have been nearer death with consumption than any other living person in the world, and I want you to read this, so you can tell others. I took a severe cold and neglected it. I grew worse all the time, and at the end of two years I had run into consumption. I coughed terribly, lost flesh, could not sleep, and became so dreadfully weak that I had to take to bed. In the following eighteen months I gradually reached the last stages of consumption. No less than seven physicians treated me and all gave me up saying I was incurable. I was absolutely helpless. The whole family wore themselves out caring for me. One day mother and sister came to my bedside, and said I had but a day or two more to live. Tears rolled down their cheeks as they sobbed the news. The doctors had declared I was in the last stage, and no human being could save me. I was willing to die, but before going to the cruel grave, I wanted to go out and see my dearly beloved town of Sidney once more. They told me such a thing was impossible—that I would surely die before I got back. But I insisted, and to gratify my dying wish, a carriage was fitted up with a bed of pillows, and to this I was carried and slowly driven around Court House Square. I got home more dead than alive. Through the mercy of Providence, someone brought a trial bottle of medicine said to be a consumption cure. No one imagined for an instant it was worth trying. But as a drowning person grasps at a straw, so I tried this medicine. I was better after taking two doses. Mother got more of the medicine and I took it, improving all the time. Today I am as well as any reader of this paper, and the medicine that cured me was Acker's English Remedy for Consumption. I declare before God and man that every word here printed is true."

This remarkable testimonial, on file in the office of Messrs. W. H. Hooker & Co., New York, proprietors of Dr. Acker's Celebrated English Remedy, is vouched for by them, as well as by prominent druggists of Sidney, Ohio.

Acker's English Remedy is sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee that your money will be refunded in case of failure. 50c. per bottle, and \$1.00 for a bottle in U. S. and Canada.

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A rich lady, cured of her deafness and noises in the head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave \$10,000 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums, may have them free. Address 776c, The Nicholson Institute, 780 Eighth Avenue, New York.

Another Grass Fire.

On Wednesday morning last F. J. Kerridge discovered a grass fire alongside the road between the Hyde and Winkle ranches. Alone and unaided he succeeded in putting the fire out and preventing considerable loss to fencing. The fire is supposed to have started from a cigar or cigarette which had been carelessly thrown aside by a party of hunters who were seen in the near vicinity.

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SUPERIOR

COURT NOTES.

The calendars of both departments of the Superior Court came up Monday before Judge A. G. Burnett as follows.

Estate of Charles Justi—Continued to August 13th.

Estate of Hobart S. Merlinjones—Continued to August 13th.

Estate of Ullrich Hungerbuhler—Final account settled and allowed Distribution ordered.

Estate of Carlo Cavelli—Continued to August 13th.

Estate of Patrick Kenny—D. J. Healey appointed administrator; bond \$500.

Estate of Platt B. Gilbert—Order granted setting aside estate to widow.

Estate of James R. Rose—Estate distributed to Anna R. Nicholien. Estate and guardianship of Chas. Wagle—Continued to August 20th.

Estate and guardianship of Miss Emily D. Mothorn—First annual account settled and allowed.

The estates of John W. Winger, Gustaf de Bruyne and Nancy Williams were continued to August 13th.

Estate and guardianship of Josephine M. Rockford—Daniel Brown appointed guardian; bond of \$2000.

Estate of Arthur H. Connolly et al. minors—Minnie A. Connolly appointed guardian; bond to Arthur \$1500, and \$100 each to the others.

Following were the civil cases: Celia L. Lowe vs. George W. Lowe—Submitted and taken under advisement.

California Winemakers' Corporation vs. F. Schmidt—Continued to August 13th.

Marie Bonnard vs. G. S. Waugh—Continued to August 13th.

The Wickersham cases were continued to August 13th.

Carr vs. Carr—Submitted.

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To the Honorable Board of Trustees of Sonoma City—Gentlemen:

Pursuant to law I beg leave to submit herewith my annual statement showing the financial condition of the City of Sonoma for the fiscal year between the 1st day of July, 1899, and the 1st day of July, 1900:

RECEIPTS.

1899.

July 1st—Cash on hand..... \$ 562 50

City Taxes..... 1040 32

Licenses..... 1067 50

Street Poll Taxes..... 167 50

Burial Permits..... 27 00

Vault Charges..... 15 00

For gutter on Napa st., from property-owners..... 86 71

Total..... \$2941 83

DISBURSEMENTS.

Hauling Gravel..... \$274 65

Sprinkling Streets..... 301 20

Electric Light..... 492 38

Salaries..... 275 85

Making Assessments..... 50 00

Poll Taxes Refunded..... 46 00

Shoveling Gravel..... 32 00

Labor..... 56 50

Cleaning Ditches..... 55 35

Sewer Pipe..... 22 40

Membership Cal. Municipal League..... 20 00

Printing..... 112 59

Cleaning Fire Apparatus..... 30 00

Hauling Dirt..... 19 75

Supplies..... 18 10

Hauling Rock..... 9 62

Repairs..... 8 25

Watchmen..... 8 00

Packing and Cleaning Hydrants..... 10 50

Lumber..... 10 27

Expenses of Firemen..... 4 00

Janitor..... 6 00

Stove-wood..... 2 50

Relate on Licenses..... 2 50

Freight and Cartage..... 1 25

Expressage..... 25

Pruning Trees..... 24 50

Hauling..... 1 50

Plumbing..... 18 25

Gutter on Napa street..... 172 50

Crosswalk..... 15 36

Postage..... 4 52

Testing Artesian Wells..... 47 00

Tracing Map..... 5 00

Ballot Paper..... 2 15

Drawing Specifications..... 1 00

Gravel Screen..... 4 00

Election Boards..... 48 00

Election Expenses..... 22 50

Legal Services..... 37 50

Bridge on France street..... 249 50

Making Arre..... 1 00

Cleaning Grass..... 28 00

Treasurer's Com'ssions..... 48 50

Total..... \$2901 77 8

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JOE BY SMALL, City Clerk.

Examined and found correct.

H. H. DAVIS.

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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Local Happenings

DEATH OF MRS. STEIGER.

Passed Peacefully Away at Her Home Near Agua Caliente Friday Afternoon.

Mrs. Lucia Steiger, wife of Edward Steiger of Agua Caliente, died yesterday afternoon at 1:20 o'clock. Mrs. Steiger had been in failing for several years. She was a pioneer mother of Sonoma Valley and had resided on the home farm where she passed away for over thirty years.

Deceased leaves a husband and a family of twelve children to mourn her untimely taking off. The children are Mrs. Mary Harmon, Mrs. Hermine Bailer, Mrs. Rose Bohni, Miss Lily and Emma Steiger, Erhard, Andrew, Ludwig, George, Fred, William and Herman Steiger.

Mrs. Steiger was a native of Switzerland and aged 54 years, 1 week and 2 days.

The funeral will take place from her late residence to-morrow (Sunday) at 1 p. m.

BREVITIES.

The Grammar School opened Monday.

Daily Examiner and Index-Tribune, \$8.80 per year.

High School Board has an adjourned meeting to-day at 2:30 p. m.

For harnesses go to Chas. Wilson, Main street, Petaluma. You will save money.

Shooting notices for sale at this office. Ones that will keep hunters off your place.

Capt. Johnson of Buena Vista will please accept our thanks for a box of fine pears.

Ciucci & Martinoni are doing a rushing business at the Toscano Hotel. Forty-five guests dined there Sunday.

There will be a grand ball at Mervyn Hall on Saturday evening, August 18th. The music will be by the Sonoma Dance Orchestra.

Mrs. Haraszthy and daughters spent a delightful day and evening at the McAuliffe home on the Lakeville hills last Sunday.

Theo. Keiser offers for sale his "Clipper Racer" for \$80. The wheel has only been in use a few weeks and is as good as new. This is a great bargain.

Harry Knight is Sonoma's crack diver. He dove off the El Verano bridge Sunday, a distance of twenty feet, into a pool of water about seven feet deep.

Chas. Wilson, Harness Maker, carries a full line of robes, whips, blankets and everything for horsemen. Repairing a specialty. Main street, Petaluma.

Do you want a brand new Wheeler & Wilson \$75 Sewing Machine that has never been used. If so apply at this office. This machine will be warranted and sold cheap on the installment plan.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures, have made it a great favorite with the people everywhere. For sale by F. Duhring.

O. O. Webber, District Attorney of this county, and a prominent aspirant for the Republican nomination for Congressman from this district, was in town Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Webber has many friends down this way.

The Church farm located in the southeastern part of the valley can beat the band when it comes to raising large fruit. Apples from the orchard on the place measuring 14x15 inches in circumference are in evidence at the INDEX-TRIBUNE office.

Two Santa Rosa wheelmen came into town Sunday last after having ridden from the above place. One of the riders was scratched up pretty much and the other walked beside a punctured bicycle. They report the roads in this part of the county as being very dusty and rough.

They are mighty strict in Napa county in observing the deer law. Chas. L. Carbone, well-known here, shot a young buck deer near that place one day last week, and after dressing it brought it into that town. He was arrested and fined \$20 for having a deer in his possession of which all evidence of sex had been removed.

Preaching services in the Methodist Church to-morrow (Sunday), August 12th, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject: "The Kingdom of God the Coming Kingdom." Evening subject: "Some Reasons for Becoming a Christian." A union of the Young People's societies at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited. Henry Pearce, pastor.

MUNICIPAL EXPENSES.

What It Costs to Maintain the City Government.

The annual financial report of City Clerk Small will be found in another column. It shows that for the fiscal year ending July 1st last \$2601.77 was expended on the municipality. The principal items of expense are as follows:

Electric light, \$492.88
Sprinkling streets, \$301.20.
Salaries, \$275.83.
Printing, \$112.59.
Gravel for streets, \$274.65.
Gutter on Napa street, \$172.50.
Building bridge, \$249.50.

The report shows that of the \$2601.77 expended the city tax contributed \$1040.82; licenses, \$1067.50 and street poll taxes, \$147.80. There are \$340.05 on hand and the city is free from debt.

ROAD SPRINKLING.

What It Costs Sonoma County Per Month.

The Board of Supervisors on Wednesday last allowed the following road sprinkling bills for the month of July:

G. Caulder	\$78.00
John Mahoney	78.00
Ed. Palmer	78.00
C. Fairclough	78.00
Wm. Rains	78.00
C. L. Green	104.00
J. D. Himebaugh	78.00
C. F. Carner	78.00
G. S. Harris	68.25
Geo. Blackburn	75.00
J. H. Stone	91.00
Chas. Black	28.00
John Meyer	65.00
J. W. Culver	97.50
Geo. Huston	60.00
J. W. Austin	60.00
F. Welch	92.00
J. Mitchell	92.00
Total	\$1432.43

THE DEMOCRATS.

Will Hold Their Primaries Wednesday, August 22d.

The Democratic County Central Committee met in Santa Rosa Wednesday afternoon.

The committee decided to hold their primaries on Wednesday, August 22d. Delegates will be elected to attend the County Convention which will convene in Byington Hall, Santa Rosa, on Monday, September 3d.

In regard to the election of delegates to the State and Congressional Conventions no action was taken. The matter was left to a committee of three to act in accordance with the call to be issued by the Democratic State Committee on August 11th.

BASE BALL.

A Challenge to the Sonoma Valley Nine.

Lash's Bitters Base Ball Club of San Francisco authorizes the INDEX-TRIBUNE to issue a challenge to the Sonoma Valley Nine for a match game of ball to be played at either Sonoma or El Verano at an early date. Thos. Fields Jr., formerly of Vincburg, is the manager of the challenging club, which is said to consist of a number of crack players. Should our boys get together, however, and accept the challenge the visiting club will discover that the Sonoma Valley Nine will give them a lively tussle.

Mr. Dresel's Gift to the High School.

Mr. Carl Dresel has enriched the High School by presenting it with ten beautiful Murillo-tint pictures. Three of them are illustrative of Shakespeare—his home, the home of his wife and the inscription on his tomb. The subjects of two are lions and tigers. Two are landscapes. One is a reproduction of one of Raphael's famous Madonna and Child creations. Two others are ideal heads. The High School is very grateful for donations of this kind and sincerely thanks Mr. Dresel for his gift.

Scalded to Death.

Mary Loretta, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wyatt, formerly of El Verano, but now residing in Petaluma, was scalded to death in the latter place on Friday of last week. The one, who was just learning to walk, pulled a can of boiling water from the stove and the entire contents spilled upon her neck and scalding her in a dreadful manner. The little one lingered until day when death put an end to sufferings.

Price of Grapes.

Twenty dollars per ton is paid for white wine grapes in Fresno. We hear of several being made in this valley for wine grapes at \$20 per ton and were refused. Evidently it will bring a good price this year.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

To Convene in Union Hall Thursday, August 23d.

Will Be in Session Two Days—

Viticulture, Horticulture and

Poultry to Be Discussed—To

Wind Up With a Grand Ball.

The Farmers' Institute will convene Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, August 23d, at Union Hall. Every preparation is being made to insure a successful institute. Prof. D. T. Fowler and Prof. F. T. Bioletti will represent the University. F. T. Duhring, Dr. A. E. Osborne and W. O. Hocker have consented to speak.

One of the chief features of the session will be the Question Box. Into this box any one may drop questions concerning viticulture, horticulture and poultry. These questions will be discussed by Prof. Fowler.

The Professors are very anxious to have the farmers of our valley participate in the discussions, and the "question box" is looked upon as a means to this end. Everybody in Sonoma Valley should attend the institute. All are interested in the success of the farms for good crops make good times.

Following is the program of the two days' session:

THURSDAY, 8 P. M.
Opening remarks—Hon. Robt. Howe
Invocation—Rev. Henry Pearce
Varieties of Grapes for Various Purposes and Localities—Prof. F. T. Bioletti
What the Institute is Accomplishing—Prof. D. T. Fowler
Address—Prof. D. T. Duhring

FRIDAY, 10 A. M.

"Orchard Topics"—Prof. D. T. Fowler
"Olive Culture"—Rev. H. Osborne
"The Utility of Farming Organizations"—Prof. D. T. Fowler
"The Physiology of the Vine"—Prof. F. T. Bioletti
Question Box—Prof. F. T. Bioletti

FRIDAY 1:30 P. M.

Address—W. O. Hocker
Mildew and Other Fungus Diseases of the Vine—Prof. F. T. Bioletti
Poultry Industry—Prof. D. T. Fowler
Wine Making in the Future—Prof. F. T. Bioletti
Question Box—Prof. F. T. Bioletti

FRIDAY 8 P. M.

"Young Men in California Agriculture"—Prof. Fowler

The above is the program in part. Others than those mentioned will speak and there will be an abundance of music. The Institute will conclude with a dance. Parks' Orchestra has been secured for the evening.

Wegner Villa Garden Party.

A garden party at the Wegner Villa, a picturesque summer resort located high above the pretty town of Glen Ellen, was the event of last Saturday night. The Catholic ladies arranged the affair for the benefit of their pastor, Rev. Father O'Malley. A large crowd was present and liberally patronized the tents where refreshments were sold. An entertaining programme was carried out as follows: Address, Father O'Malley; tenor solo, Mr. O'Brien; recitation, Mr. Hickey; song, Billy Hines, San Francisco; solo, Mrs. Emparan. Dancing followed and continued until midnight. The ice cream tent, which did a good business, was prettily decorated with green grape vines and red flowers. Mrs. Emma O'Donnell and Mrs. Carroll were in charge. Cigar stand—Mrs. Lane and a number of pretty girls. Coffee—Mrs. Moran and a bevy of lovely young women. Lemonade—Mrs. Duncan. It is understood that a neat sum was realized and it is an assured fact that all who were present had a good time.

County's Cash.

The regular monthly count of the public funds was made Monday morning by Chairman Glynn, Assistant District Attorney Weske and Deputy Auditor Goodwin. Their report shows a surplus in the treasury of eleven cents as follows:

Balance July 1st, 1900	\$278,734.24
Receipts	54,475.88
Total	\$333,210.12
Disbursements July	33,179.00
Surplus	\$300,031.12
Examiners' count	\$300,032.33

With a paternal care and solicitude. One beautiful August day Giuseppe sat at this bench giving the finishing touches to the last of his set of childward. Nearly two years had passed since he began his work; two years, but a great change had taken place in the appearance of the young man. He was pale and wan, and his business check bones and sunken cheeks gave him a deathly look.

Finally he hung the last bell on the little metal stand, fitted in his clasp and gave it a gentle swing. Thialy, tone that followed began like the sigh of a man, worn and wearied by a life of hopeless disappointment. It grew all in a deep crescendo until it became a knell, a plaint for the dead, then died away in a broken sob. The Genoa ship followed the tone from its inception until its last vibration ceased with an earnestness that made the veins in his forehead stand out and drew every

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

Arthur Schell leaves for Paris on August 16th.

Miss Maggie Fridger is visiting at the Mount Veder resort.

Ed. Steiger made a business trip to San Francisco Monday.

G. H. Hotz transacted business in San Francisco last Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Harrington of San Francisco spent Sunday in this place.

Elwood Cooper of Santa Barbara visited Judge Stearns one day last week.

Miss Florence Lavine was a registered guest at the Union Hotel Sunday.

Miss Sarah Harman has returned to San Francisco after a week's visit in Agua Caliente.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Yenni were presented with a baby boy Wednesday morning.

John Valente left Sunday for the metropolis where he has secured a position in a tannery.

Mr. T. Gilbert has placed us under obligations for copies of the Manila papers of a late date.

A postal from Dr. W. K. Vance and wife announces their safe arrival in London on July 25th.

J. B. Small attended a meeting of the Democratic County Central Committee in Santa Rosa Wednesday.

Peter Walsh and Clarence Naudman, the well-known wing shots, were guests at the Bates home Saturday last.

Jep Valente, who is engaged in a large tannery establishment in San Francisco, was up Sunday, the guest of his parents.

Horace Appleton, Jr., Kurt Schlus and Will Clewe attended the garden party at Wegner's Villa Saturday evening last.

S. J. Bennett and a party of deer hunters from Martinez drove through this place Sunday, en route to Mendocino and Humboldt counties.

Miss Irene Nolting, who has been visiting her cousin Miss Leo Schiller the past two weeks, returned to her home in San Francisco Sunday.

Mr. D. Duhring left for Santa Cruz Thursday where she will join Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Ryland, who arrived in that place last week to enjoy an outing at the seaside.

E. Morrison, soliciting agent for the Santa Rosa Republican, was in town several days the past week. While here he secured quite a number of subscribers.

At a reception given by Mrs. M. S. Bartlett Sheppard in San Francisco last Monday evening Billy Hines sang his latest comic song, "Li Hung Chang." Mr. Hines is well-known in this valley.

Any lady in this valley who would like to join the Native Daughters of the Golden West can send her name to Mrs. Lulu Emparan, Sonoma, who will gladly give them all particulars.

Bailey Birdsall spent Sunday in this place.

Miss Ruby Eastman is up from the Bay City.

Malcolm Elliott was up from San Francisco Sunday.

Gus Cornelius was up from San Francisco several days this week.

Miss Emily Poppe has recovered from a slight attack of chicken pox.

Ed. Thierkoff and N. Hansen of Glen Ellen were in town Saturday last.

Ed. Morris was a passenger on the north-bound passenger train Sunday.

P. G. Keil is in San Francisco, where he has secured a lucrative position.

Mr. Anderson is up from San Francisco and is visiting at the Sonoma Villa.

R. W. Bell of Santa Rosa was in town several days the past week tuning pianos.

Miss Virginia Kelly of San Francisco is visiting at the De Martini residence.

Bert Jones spent several days the past week visiting San Francisco friends and relatives.

George Spencer was up from the Bay City Sunday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Harris.

John Gaffney Jr. of San Francisco spent several days here the past week visiting the Glynn's.

Ray Hunter has been running the electric light plant during engineer Astill's visit to Sacramento.

Fred. Harrison of the Van De Nalien Electrical College, was in town several days the past week.

Rev. Father O'Malley was a passenger on the south-bound California Northwestern train Sunday.

S. Schocken entertained a number of San Francisco guests at his residence in this place the past week.

Mrs. A. C. Steiger has returned to San Francisco after a six-week's visit with relations in Agua Caliente.

Mrs. Elizabeth Marti attended a birthday party given in honor of her sister Mrs. V. Reid in Petaluma Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Martin of San Francisco was in town several days this week looking after her property interests here.

Mrs. Alice Lindley, who has been the guest of her relatives the Hockers, returned to her home in Santa Rosa Sunday.

The ladies of St. Francis' Church will hold a fair this fall. The proceeds will go towards paying off the debt upon the church.

Miss Elaine and Master Wm. Wilson, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson of Cloverdale, visited relatives here last week.

Miss C. C. Granice is the guest of San Francisco friends. She returns to Berkeley next week where she will enter upon her senior year in the University of California.

Prof. Olney, formerly Vice-Principal of the Sonoma High School but now Principal of the Fresno High School, spent several days here the past week with Sonoma friends. He was accompanied by his mother, this being her first visit here.

Mr. Edgar Halstead of Honolulu has arrived from the Islands. The young man is the eldest son of the late Robert Halstead, millionaire sugar planter. Young Mr. Halstead will look after the large estate which is soon to be divided among the family of children. Robert Halstead was the owner of a large piece of land near Sonoma.

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Miss Pauline Robin is visiting friends in Healdsburg.

Mrs. Amelia Bates returned from a business trip to the metropolis Thursday.

Chas. Poppe, Glen Ellen's prosperous merchant, was in town one day this week.

Frido Clewe leaves next week for Berkeley, where he will resume his studies at the State University.

Jas. Gibson attended a meeting of the Democratic County Committee in Santa Rosa Wednesday.

Wanted—A girl to assist with cooking and house work. Inquire at Duhring's store.

Mrs. Carroll, wife of M. J. Carroll, President of the Hawaiian Trading Company of Honolulu, is visiting Mrs. C. C. O'Donnell.

Walter Price of Santa Rosa was in town Wednesday afternoon doing politics.

A miniature camping party was held on the grounds of the Misses Haraszthy last Saturday evening.

A large bonfire was made, rugs spread around, the necessary dishes brought out and with the cheering call of pleasant friends "meat was ready"—broiled over the coals in the good old California fashion.

Broiled meat on an asador, baked potatoes in the hot ashes, etc., was greatly relished. True genial friends in this manner joined with delighted and happy hearts and glorious appetites. The desert was jokes, laughter, music and song.

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Prof. Olney, formerly Vice-Principal of the Sonoma High School but now Principal of the Fresno High School, spent several days here the past week with Sonoma friends. He was accompanied by his mother, this being her first visit here.

Mr. Edgar Halstead of Honolulu has arrived from the Islands. The young man is the eldest son of the late Robert Halstead, millionaire sugar planter. Young Mr. Halstead will look after the large estate which is soon to be divided among the family of children. Robert Halstead was the owner of a large piece of land near Sonoma.

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New Goods.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED

A NEW STOCK OF

Summer Suits and Extra Pants.

It is the best and largest consignment that ever came to Sonoma.

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Reductions in Summer Goods.

Shirtwaists.

All those which were sold at 75, 85 and 90c are going at 50c. Those which were \$1.00 and \$1.25 at 75c. All those which sold for more than \$1.25 at \$1.00. There are but a few left. If we have your size, you can save money buying them right now.

Scotch Lawns.

Are now selling here at 4c per yard.

Dimities.

The 8 1/2 and 10c qualities we are running off at 5c per yard. The 20c qualities at 12 1/2c per yard. The 25c qualities at 15c per yard. None others left.

Summer Dress Goods.

Of these we have but a few pieces left. The 20c quality we offer at 10c per yard. The 25c quality at 15c per yard.

Remnants.

We have a lot of those, the left overs of a busy spring and summer season. They are all marked away below cost price.

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857 Main St., Petaluma.

HALE'S.

PETALUMA.

LARGEST ASSORTMENTS.

LATEST STYLES.

LOWEST PRICES.

Bold Assertions, but these are Facts.

A careful and thorough inspection of our stocks will prove this truth. In conducting several large stores in some of the principal cities of this State—San Francisco, Sacramento, Los Angeles, San Jose, Stockton, Petaluma and Salinas—we have every advantage in buying, and buying strictly for cash and from the largest and leading foreign and domestic manufacturers, we give our patrons the benefit, hence

HALE'S GOOD GOODS.

[BY WATCHING YOUR INTERESTS WE STUDY OUR OWN.]

Below you will note a few interesting items from

OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT.

TAN SHOES—BIG REDUCTIONS TO CLEAN UP.

Nearly two years had passed since he began his work; two years, but a great change had taken place in the appearance of the young man. He was pale and wan, and his business check bones and sunken cheeks gave him a deathly look.

Finally he hung the last bell on the little metal stand, fitted in his clasp and gave it a gentle swing. Thialy, tone that followed began like the sigh of a man, worn and wearied by a life of hopeless disappointment. It grew all in a deep crescendo until it became a knell, a plaint for the dead, then died away in a broken sob. The Genoa ship followed the tone from its inception until its last vibration ceased with an earnestness that made the veins in his forehead stand out and drew every

CHILD'S fine button Shoes, with brown tops. Very pretty shoes. Regular \$1.00 grade, sizes 3 1/2 to 5 1/2, TO CLEAN UP, 65c pair.

CHILD'S fine tan button and lace shoes, with kid or vesting tops, very stylish, \$1.00 and \$1.35 grades, TO CLEAN UP, 75c and \$1.00 pair.

MISSIES' fine brown kid lace shoes, with kid or vesting tops, the \$1.75 and \$2.00 grade, TO CLEAN UP, \$1.25 and \$1.50 pair.

LADIES' stylish brown kid lace shoes, with vesting tops to match. A few odd lots. TO CLEAN UP, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 pair.

MENS' tan shoes, made of fine Russia calf or Vica Kid on the modern, up-to-date lasts, in all leather or vesting tops. Many stores consider them good value at \$5.00. HALE'S PRICE \$3.50 pair.

Many odd lines of \$4.00, \$3.50, \$3.00 and \$2.50 Shoes will be sold at astoundingly low prices. You should investigate.

HALE BROS., Petaluma.

General Outfitters for the Whole Family.

